



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Russell E. Stubbings, et al.
Serial No.: 09/847,472
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For: VEHICLE SHELF

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
and
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 13, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for the Examiner's consideration. Applicant notes that the deadline for filing a response to the Office Action has been extended by the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time until March 13, 2003.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and anything being referred to as enclosed herein is being deposited with the United States Postal Service via first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to BOX AF, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on this 12th day of March, 2003.

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